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In re the Application of

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For:

STRUCTURE OF A PROSTHESIS INTENDED TO BE IMPLANTED

IN A HUMAN OR ANIMAL PASSAGE AND PROSTHESIS WITH

SUCH A STRUCTURE

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Sir:

It would be appreciated if you would indicate the status of the above identified application, including a written indication as to when the next communication can be expected.

Respectfully submitted,

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